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**DECLARATION FOR UTILITY OR  
DESIGN  
PATENT APPLICATION  
(37 CFR 1.63)**

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Attorney Docket Number

CDI 30

First Named Inventor

Heathcott

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Application Number

Filing Date

January 20, 2004

Art Unit

Examiner Name

I hereby declare that:

Each inventor's residence, mailing address, and citizenship are as stated below next to their name.

I believe the inventor(s) named below to be the original and first inventor(s) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled:

Power End Seal

(Title of the Invention)

the specification of which

is attached hereto

OR

was filed on (MM/DD/YYYY)  as United States Application Number or PCT International

Application Number  and was amended on (MM/DD/YYYY)  (if applicable).

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment specifically referred to above.

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Prior Foreign Application Number(s)	Country	Foreign Filing Date (MM/DD/YYYY)	Priority Not Claimed	Certified Copy Attached? Yes	Certified Copy Attached? No
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Additional foreign application numbers are listed on a supplemental priority data sheet PTO/SB/02B attached hereto.

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NAME OF SOLE OR FIRST INVENTOR:

 A petition has been filed for this unsigned inventor

Given Name (first and middle [if any])	Joe William	Family Name or Surname	Heathcott
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Inventor's  
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Assignee of record of the entire interest. See 37 CFR 3.71.

Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is enclosed. (Form PTO/SB/96)

**SIGNATURE of Applicant or Assignee of Record**

Name	Chris MacKelvey		
Signature	Chris MacKelvey		
Date	Jan. 15, 2004	Telephone	713-857-1065

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**SIGNATURE of Applicant or Assignee of Record**

Name	Martha Heathcott, Legal Representative, Estate of Joe William		
Signature	Martha Heathcott		
Date	1-15-04	Telephone	281-437-2333

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## LETTERS TESTAMENTARY

NO: 17847

THE STATE OF TEXAS

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IN THE COUNTY COURT

COUNTY OF FORT BEND

FORT BEND COUNTY, TEXAS

I, Dianne Wilson, Ph.D., Clerk of the County Court of Fort Bend County, Texas do hereby certify that on the 28TH day of JULY, 2003, MARTHA L. HEATHCOTT was(were) duly granted by said Court, Letters Testamentary of the Estate of JOE WILLIAM HEATHCOTT, deceased, and that SHE qualified as such INDEPENDENT EXECUTRIX of said Estate on the 28TH day of JULY, 2003, as the law requires, and that said appointment is still in full force and effect.

Witness my hand and seal of office in Richmond, Texas this 28TH day of JULY, 2003.

DIANNE WILSON, Ph.D., COUNTY CLERK  
FORT BEND COUNTY, TEXASBy Jackie L. Rodriguez  
JACKIE L. RODRIGUEZ, DeputyLETTERS TESTAMENTARY  
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NOTICE TO ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS

AGAINST THE ESTATE OF

JOE WILLIAM HEATHCOTT

Notice is hereby given that original Letters Testamentary for the Estate of Joe William Heathcott, Deceased, were issued on July 28, 2003, in Cause Number 17847, pending in the Probate Court Number 3 of Fort Bend County, Texas, to:

Martha L. Heathcott

The residence of such Executor is Fort Bend County, Texas.  
The post office address is:

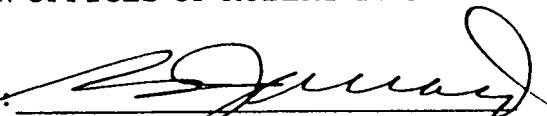
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Missouri City, Texas 77459

All persons having claims against this Estate, which is currently being administered, are required to present them within the time and in the manner prescribed by law.

DATED the 6<sup>th</sup> day of August, 2003.

LAW OFFICES OF ROBERT T. JARRARD

By:

  
Robert T. Jarrard

ATTORNEYS FOR THE ESTATE OF  
JOE WILLIAM HEATHCOTT, Deceased